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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: BUSINESS TRANSACTION SYSTEM AND METHOD

Enclosed are:

\boxtimes	A specification consisting of Forty (40) pages
\boxtimes	Fourteen (14) sheet(s) informal drawings
\boxtimes	An assignment of the invention
	Certified copy of Priority Document(s)
\boxtimes	Executed Declaration (Original Photocopy)

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